

**WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:**

1           1.    A multi-sectioned container comprising:  
2                a bottom section having a bottom surface and at  
3                least one side-wall, said bottom-section side-wall  
4                including at a top portion thereof, connecting means for  
5                connecting the bottom section to an upper section stacked  
6                thereon; and  
7                at least one upper section having at least one side-  
8                wall, said upper-section side-wall being configured in a  
9                bottom portion thereof to interact with the bottom-  
10              section connecting means to connect the upper section to  
11              the bottom section, said upper-section side-wall  
12              including at a top portion thereof, connecting means for  
13              connecting the upper section, selectively, to another  
14              upper section or a lid.

1           2.    The multi-sectioned container of claim 1,  
2                wherein the bottom-section side-wall and the upper-  
3                section side-wall have a circular configuration, and  
4                wherein the bottom-section connecting means includes  
5                screw threads, and the upper-section side-wall is  
6                configured in the bottom portion thereof with screw  
7                threads compatible with the screw threads of the bottom-  
8                section connecting means to screw the sections together.

1           3.    The multi-sectioned container of claim 1,  
2                wherein the bottom-section connecting means includes a  
3                snapping mechanism, and the upper-section side-wall is  
4                configured in the bottom portion thereof with snapping

5 means compatible with the snapping mechanism of the  
6 bottom-section connecting means to snap the sections  
7 together.

1 4. The multi-sectioned container of claim 3,  
2 wherein the snapping mechanism of the bottom-section  
3 connecting means and the snapping means of the upper-  
4 section side-wall are configured to form a water-tight  
5 seal when they are snapped together..

1 5. The multi-sectioned container of claim 1,  
2 wherein the at least one bottom-section side-wall and the  
3 at least one upper-section side-wall each include three  
4 side-walls arranged in a triangular configuration.

1 6. The multi-sectioned container of claim 1,  
2 wherein the at least one bottom-section side-wall and the  
3 at least one upper-section side-wall each include four  
4 side-walls arranged in approximately a square  
5 configuration.

1 7. The multi-sectioned container of claim 1,  
2 wherein each of the sections of the container is colored  
3 a different color.

1 8. The multi-sectioned container of claim 1,  
2 further comprising a drawing that extends over a  
3 plurality of sections of the container, wherein the  
4 drawing is properly configured only if the sections are  
5 stacked in a proper predetermined order.

1        9. A multi-sectioned container comprising:  
2        a bottom section; and  
3        at least one tubular upper section that stacks on,  
4        and connects to, the bottom section;  
5        wherein the bottom section includes a bottom surface  
6        and a side-wall that includes, at a top portion thereof,  
7        a connector for connecting the bottom section to the  
8        tubular upper section, and the tubular upper section is  
9        configured in a bottom portion thereof to connect to the  
10       bottom section connector.

1        10. The multi-sectioned container of claim 9,  
2        wherein the upper section also includes a connector at a  
3        top portion thereof to connect, selectively, to another  
4        stacked upper section or a lid.